

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 239

By Pody

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jordan Blackburn, 2011
Salutatorian of Cannon County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jordan Blackburn is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2011 graduating class at Cannon County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Blackburn has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Jordan Blackburn has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Beta Club, French Club, Chorus, and Band; and

WHEREAS, a man of faith, Jordan is a devout member of his church's youth group and enjoys going on mission trips, having recently travelled to the Copper Basin; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Blackburn's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Jordan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Chris and Jeanie Blackburn, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Jordan Blackburn's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2011 Cannon County High School Salutatorian, Jordan Blackburn, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.